

1 VIRGINIA:

2 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF YORK AND CITY OF POQUOSON

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4 In the matter of the change of name of ) Civil No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
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10 ORDER FOR CHANGE OF NAME OF A MINOR

11 A verified application has been filed which affirms that the applicant is the minor's

12 ☐ Mother, ☐ Father, ☐ Guardian, ☐ Next friend

13 and requests the change of the minor's name from \_\_\_\_\_

14 to \_\_\_\_\_.

15 1. The applicant's current address is \_\_\_\_\_

16 \_\_\_\_\_.

17 2. The Court finds that

18 ☐ Both parents have joined in the application to change the minor's name.

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20 ☐ Notice pursuant to § 8.01-296 has been provided to a parent who has not  
21 joined in and has not objected to the application to change the minor's name.

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23 ☐ An answer to the application has been filed by a parent and pursuant to §  
24 8.01-217, service upon that parent is not required.

25 OR

[ ] By clear and convincing evidence, notice to a parent would present a serious threat to the health and safety of the applicant and therefore such notice is waived by the Court.

3. The Court finds that the application complies with the requirements of subsection B of Virginia Code § 8.01-217, and that the requested change of name [ ] is [ ] is not in the best interest of the child.

Accordingly, it is ADJUDGED and ORDERED that the name of the minor is hereby changed from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

It is ADJUDGED, ORDERED and DECREED that the Clerk of this Court, pursuant to the provisions of Virginia Code § 8.01-217 shall spread this Order upon the current deed book, index it in both the old and new names, and transmit a certified copy to both the State Registrar of Vital Statistics and the Criminal Records Exchange.

ENTERED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_.

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JUDGE

I ask for this:

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Petitioner

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Petitioner